IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF PENNSYLVANIA

:

: CIVIL ACTION

Petitioner, :

NO. 17-0565

SUPERINTENDENT KAUFFMAN, et al.,

IAN RUSSELL,

v.

Respondents.

JAN 18 2019 KATE BARKMAN, Clerk Dep. Clerk

ORDER

AND NOW, this 18th day of January, 2019, upon independent consideration of the Petition for Writ of Habeas Corpus (Docket No. 1), the Response to the Petition (Docket No. 16), and after review of the Report and Recommendation ("R&R") of United States Magistrate Judge Henry S. Perkin dated May 2, 2018, IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that:

- 1. the R&R is **APPROVED** and **ADOPTED**;
- the Petition for Writ of Habeas Corpus is **DENIED** without prejudice and
 DISMISSED without an evidentiary hearing; and
 - 3. there is no probable cause to issue a certificate of appealability.

BY THE COURT:

C. DARNELL JONES